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Hawaii Health Performance Plan (H2P2)

The next updated H2P2 will be changing to include more action-oriented statements that require goal statements to be extended to include specific actions to be directed at potential stakeholders. The document will address issues within the broad categories of community health status, health care delivery system, and other areas that support SHPDA's statutory functions such as the Certificate of Need process and health services planning.

Subarea Health Planning Councils (SACs): H2P2 Activities

Hawaii

The members are considering other projects to work on, including air transportation needs specific to the Big Island. Examples were discussed about the amount of time it takes to transport a patient to a tertiary medical center on Oahu, and what might be the minimum needed to provide quality care. Additional work is still needed on the Big Island transportation project (access to behavioral health services) as it moves forward at the county transportation department.

Honolulu

The HonSac members will be providing input into H2P2 planning involving four key components of health care: medical technology, organizational structure, financing and roles. In addition, they will be receiving orientation on the Certificate of Need process in preparation for possible reviews in the near future. Correction to the September report: The HonSAC did meet in August and discussed the need for more education on Certificate of Need criteria as it relates to H2P2.

Kauai

Aloha and Hawaiian airlines representatives and a Kauai oncologist will be invited to the next Council meeting to discuss whether any reasonable accommodation can be made for Kauai patients who must travel to Oahu for radiation treatments. Members hope that perhaps a special ID will allow speedier airport routing such the procedures Hawaiian Airlines has developed for frequent flyer members at three points: check-in, security and boarding. A guest at the meeting also offered to call the American Cancer

Society to ask if volunteers are available to transport patients from the airport to the hospital where treatments occur.

Tri-Isle

The members heard presentations on three projects to develop or expand acute care services. The SAC will continue to gather information on prospective hospital and urgent care facilities. The SAC is interested in exploring options and alternatives for emergency air transportation for Maui County. SAC chair, John Ornellas, shared information from the Drug Summit on Oahu. The SAC is considering Behavioral Health services they could support and will stay involved in Maui County efforts.

Windward

The Windward Oahu SAC heard from Dede Alo of Ke Ola Mamo, Dr. Irwin Koff of Kaiser and Sharon Hicks of Hawaii Prescription Care. Ke Ola Mamo provides a variety of community classes and programs and is connecting people with Kaiser's 7th Heaven community diabetes care group. Both groups are looking for ways to increase awareness of the program. Hawaii Prescription Care assists individuals without coverage to fill prescriptions. The SAC welcomed a new member, Susan Wada. The SAC will continue to hear from other Diabetes groups.

West Oahu Darryl Shutter provided a Certificate of Need (CON) orientation and update. The members continued their discussion about developing a health curriculum to teach to classes of elementary students (3rd or 4th grade). The members will gather more information about health education resources and initiatives currently underway through the Department of Health and Department of Education and what physicians and health educators are interested in doing to develop this curriculum.

Research and Statistics:

The SHPDA website had a total of 15,483 and 16,150 hits for the months of August 2003 and September 2003, respectively.

The Certificate of Need Application Summaries and Decisions Files, Monthly SHPDA Update Reports, Web Server Hits Statistics and SHPDA Calendar web pages were updated.

Certificate of Need Applications

- Hawaii Radiologic Associates, Ltd. for the establishment of an outpatient #03-17 computed tomography (CT) services at 77-311 Sunset Drive, Kailua-Kona, HI at a capital cost of \$1,125,000. Re-scheduled for November reviews at applicant's request.
- #03-23 Waimea Endoscopy, LLC for the establishment of outpatient Endoscopy

- Surgicenter at 64-5188 Kinohou St., Waimea, HI at a capital cost of \$1,087,200. Approved.
- #03-26A Kapiolani Medical Center for Women and Children for the expansion and renovation of operating room services at a capital cost of \$1,270,000. Approved.
- #03-27A Maui Memorial Medical Center for the change of 21 medical/surgical beds to SNF beds and the addition of 7 SNF beds for a total of 28 SNF beds at no capital cost. Approved.
- Wahiawa Hospital Association for the relocation of Wahiawa General Hospital services (excluding SNF) from 128 Lehua Street, Wahiawa to Waipio (Tax Map Key Nos. (1)9-4-006-001 and (1)9-4-006-002, at a capital cost of \$44,756,600. Incomplete. Waiting for information/revisions from applicant.
- #03-29A Opportunities For The Retarded, Inc. for the addition of 10 ICF/MR beds at 64-1510 Kamehameha Hwy., Wahiawa, Hawaii, at a capital cost of \$20,000. Public notice Oct. 3, 2003.
- #03-30 Avalon Care Center Honolulu, LLC for the change of ownership of Beverly Manor at 1930 Kam IV Road, HI at a capital cost of \$8,300,000. Incomplete. Waiting for information/revisions from applicant.
- #03-31 Avalon Care Center Honolulu, LLC for the change of ownership of Hale Nani Rehabilitation and Nursing Center at 1677 Pensacola St., Hon., HI at a capital cost of \$33,800,000. Incomplete. Waiting for information/ revisions from applicant.
- #03-32 Kona Community Hospital for the establishment of a Radiation Therapy Clinic at 79-1019 Haukapila St., Kealakekua, Hawaii at a capital cost of \$4,000,000. Incomplete. Waiting for information/revisions from applicant.
- #03-33 Marimed Foundation for Island Health Care Training for the establishment of a 8 bed Special Treatment Facility at 47-440 Pulama Rd., Kaneohe, HI at a capital cost of \$615,000. Reviewing for completeness.
- #03-34A Castle Medical Center for the addition of 34 medical/surgical beds and the deletion of 26 psychiatric and 8 obstetric beds at a capital cost of \$4,586,103. Incomplete. Waiting for information/revisions from applicant.